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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2007/10 of 9 February 2007, S/2007/10/Add.7 of 2 March 2007, S/2007/10/Add.12 of 5 April 2007, S/2007/10/Add.15 of 27 April 2007, S/2007/10/Add.20 of 1 June 2007, S/2007/10/Add.25 of 6 July 2007, S/2007/10/Add.34 of 7 September 2007, S/2007/10/Add.38 of 5 October 2007, S/2007/10/Add.44 of 12 November 2007 and S/2007/10/Add.48 of 14 December 2007

During the week ending 15 December 2007, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts (*see* S/2001/15/Add.37, 39 and 46; S/2002/30/Add.2, 15, 25, 39-42, 49 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.2, 6, 7, 13, 18, 29, 30, 33, 41 and 46; S/2004/20/Add.2, 4, 9, 10, 12, 13, 19, 21, 29, 35, 37, 40, 42 and 50; S/2005/15/Add.2, 26, 29, 30, 39, 43, 44 and 50; S/2006/10/Add.16, 21, 25, 27 and 50; and S/2007/10/Add.14, 27, 35, 39 and 42)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5795th and 5798th meetings, held on 10 and 11 December 2007, respectively, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the 5795th meeting, the President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2007/718) that had been submitted by Belgium, the Congo, France, Italy, Panama, the Russian Federation, Slovakia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2007/718 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1787 (2007) (for the text, see S/RES/1787 (2007); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

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At the 5798th meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Algeria, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2007/45; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991;

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

(*see* S/1996/15/Add.8; S/1999/25/Add.31 and 44; S/2000/40/Add.21, 46 and 47; S/2001/15/Add.48; S/2002/30/Add.19, 43 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.31, 34, 35 and 40; S/2004/20/Add.12, 26, 31 and 47; S/2005/15/Add.23 and 49; S/2006/10/Add.22 and 49; and S/2007/10/Add.24)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5796th meeting, held on 10 December 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its pr or consultations, having before it a letter dated 12 November 2007 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2007/663), and a letter dated 16 November 2007 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2007/676).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Croatia, Rwanda and Serbia, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Judge Fausto Pocar, President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the former Yugoslavia since 1991; Judge Dennis Byron, President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring

States between 1 January and 31 December 1994; Carla del Ponte, Prosecutor of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia; and Hassan Bubacar Jallow, Prosecutor of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda.

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B (*see* S/2001/15/Add.47; S/2002/30/Add.20 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.25 and 49; S/2004/20/Add.25 and 49; S/2005/15/Add.23 and 49; S/2006/10/Add.22 and 49; and S/2007/10/Add.23)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5797th (private) meeting, held on 11 December 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

> On 11 December 2007, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 5797th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force.
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> The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Lisa Buttenheim, Director of the Asia and Middle East Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations.
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> The members of the Council, Ms. Buttenheim and representatives of participating troop-contributing countries had an exchange of views.

The situation in the Middle East (*see* S/7913, S/7923, S/7976, S/8000, S/8048, S/8066, S/8215, S/8242, S/8252, S/8269, S/8502, S/8525, S/8534, S/8564, S/8575, S/8584, S/8595, S/8747, S/8753, S/8807, S/8815, S/8828, S/8836, S/8885, S/8896, S/8960, S/9123, S/9135, S/9319, S/9382, S/9395, S/9406, S/9427 and Corr.1, S/9449, S/9452, S/9805, S/9812, S/9930, S/10327, S/10341, S/10554, S/10557, S/10703, S/10721, S/10729, S/10743, S/10770/Add.4, S/10855/Add.15, 16, 23, 24, 29, 30, 33, 41, 43 and 44; S/11185/Add.14-16, 21, 42/Rev.1 and 47; S/11593/Add.15, 21, 29, 42 and 49; S/11935/Add.21, 42 and 48; S/12269/Add.12, 13, 21, 42 and 48; S/12520/Add.10, 11, 17, 21, 37, 39, 42, 47 and 48; S/13033/Add.2, 16, 19, 21, 23, 34, 47 and 50; S/13737/Add.15, 16, 21, 24-26, 33, 47 and 50; S/14326/Add.10, 11, 20, 24, 28, 29, 47 and 50; S/14840/Add.8, 21-25, 27, 30-33, 37, 42 and 48; S/15560/Add.3, 21, 29, 37, 42, 45, 47 and 48; S/16270/Add.6-8, 15, 20, 21, 34, 35, 40 and 47; S/16880/Add.8-10, 15, 20, 21, 41 and 46; S/17725/Add.2, 15, 21, 28, 35, 38, 43 and 47; S/18570/Add.2, 21, 30 and 47; S/19420/Add.2-4, 18, 19, 22 and Corr.1, 30, 48 and 50; S/20370/Add.4, 12, 16, 21, 30, 32, 37, 44, 46, 47 and 51; S/21100/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/22110/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/23370/Add.4, 7, 21, 30 and 47; S/25070/Add.4, 21, 30 and 48; S/1994/20/Add.3, 20, 29 and 47; S/1995/40/Add.4, 21, 29 and 47; S/1996/15/Add.4, 15, 21, 30 and 47; S/1997/40/Add.4, 21, 30 and 46; S/1998/44/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/1999/25/Add.3, 20, 29 and 46; S/2000/40/Add.4, 15, 20, 21, 24, 29 and 47; S/2001/15/Add.5, 22, 31 and 48; S/2002/30/Add.4, 21, 30 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.4, 25, 30 and 51; S/2004/20/Add.4, 26, 30, 35, 42 and 50; S/2005/15/Add.3, 6, 13, 16,

17, 22-24, 29, 42, 43, 49 and 50; S/2006/10/Add.3, 4, 10, 12, 15, 19, 23, 27-31, 38, 43, 46, 49 and 50; and S/2007/10/Add.11, 12, 15, 21, 23-25, 28, 30, 33 and 37)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5799th, 5800th and 5802nd meetings, held on 11, 12 and 14 December 2007, respectively, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations. At the 5802nd meeting, the Security Council had before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (S/2007/698).

At the 5799th meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Lebanon, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2007/46; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

At the 5800th meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Lebanon, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2007/47; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

At the 5802nd meeting, the President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2007/729) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2007/729, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1788 (2007) (for the text, see S/RES/1788 (2007); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2007/48; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

Security Council mission (*see* S/2003/40/Add.24, 27, 29 and 45; S/2004/20/Add.3, 7, 26, 28, 48 and 49; S/2005/15/Add.15, 18, 45 and 48; S/2006/10/Add.23, 25, 26, 46 and 48; and S/2007/10/Add.17, 18, 25, 28 and 48)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5801st meeting, held on 13 December 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the report of the Security Council mission to Timor-Leste, 24-30 November 2007 (S/2007/711).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Australia, Japan, New Zealand, the Philippines, Portugal and Timor-Leste, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The situation in Cyprus (*see* S/11185/Add.28, 29, 32, 34 and 49; S/11593/Add.7-10, 23, 24 and 49; S/11935/Add.23, 24 and 50; S/12269/Add.24, 35-37 and 50; S/12520/Add.23, 45, 47 and 49; S/13033/Add.23 and 49; S/13737/Add.23 and 49; S/14326/Add.22 and 50; S/14840/Add.24 and 50; S/15560/Add.24, 46 and 50; S/16270/Add.17, 18, 23 and 49; S/16880/Add.23, 37 and 49; S/17725/Add.23 and 49; S/18570/Add.23 and 50; S/19420/Add.24 and 50; S/20370/Add.22 and 49; S/21100/Add.10, 23, 28, 49 and 50; S/22110/Add.23, 40, 49 and 51; S/23370/Add.14, 23, 28, 34, 47 and 50; S/25070/Add.19, 21, 23 and 50; S/1994/20/Add.9, 23, 29 and 50; S/1995/40/Add.24 and 50; S/1996/15/Add.25 and 51; S/1997/40/Add.25 and 51; S/1998/44/Add.26 and 51; S/1999/25/Add.25 and 49; S/2000/40/Add.23 and 49; S/2001/15/Add.24 and 50; S/2002/30/Add.23, 39 and 47; S/2003/40/Add.14, 15, 23 and 47; S/2004/20/Add.13, 16, 17, 23 and 42; S/2005/15/Add.23, 24 and 49; S/2006/10/Add.23 and 49; and S/2007/10/Add.23)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5803rd meeting, held on 14 December 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/2007/699).

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2007/732) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2007/732, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1789 (2007) (for the text, see S/RES/1789 (2007); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

The situation in Sierra Leone (*see* S/1995/40/Add.47; S/1996/15/Add.6, 11 and 48; S/1997/40/Add.21, 27, 31, 40 and 45; S/1998/44/Add.8, 11, 15, 20, 22, 28 and 50; S/1999/25 and Add.1, 9, 18, 22, 32, 41 and 48; S/2000/40/Add.5, 10, 17-19, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 35, 37, 43 and 50; S/2001/15/Add.4, 13, 26, 38 and 51; S/2002/30/Add.2, 12, 20, 27, 38 and 48; S/2003/40/Add.12, 28 and 37; S/2004/20/Add.13 and 37; S/2005/15/Add.20, 25, 34 and 50; S/2006/10/Add.23 and 50; and S/2007/10/Add.22 and 25)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5804th meeting, held on 14 December 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the fifth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone (S/2007/704).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of the Netherlands and Sierra Leone, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.